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Applicant : Carlson, et al.

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EPOXY BONDING



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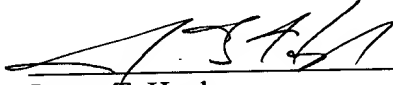
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Responsive to the action mailed November 21, 2000, applicant elects the invention of Group 1, covering Claims 1-13 drawn to a semiconductor device. The election is made without traverse.

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Respectfully submitted,

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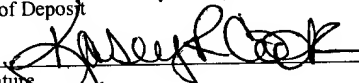
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